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Council Will be Asked to Pass Measure Closing Saloons Between the Hours of 10 and 1 Sundays.

As a compromise measure the General Council of Lexington will be asked to pass an ordinance repealing the present city law requiring that saloons be closed from 12 o'clock Saturday night until Monday morning at 4 o'clock and fixing the hours for closing from 10 to 1 Sundays.

Such an ordinance was recommended by the Ways and Means Committee at a meeting held last week and the City Solicitor was directed to draft a measure containing these provisions.

By keeping saloons closed from 10 to 1 Sundays city officials believe that the greatest objection church-going people urge against them will be removed and that the change will be satisfactory to the saloon keepers.

Under the arrangement which the Ways and Means Committee ordered the City Solicitor to prepare, saloons will be required to close at 12 o'clock Saturday night, remain closed till 4 o'clock Sunday morning, close at 10 o'clock Sunday mornings and remain closed till 1 o'clock, at which time they can open and remain open till 12 o'clock at night.

One of the members of the Ways and Means Committee is W. R. Cockrell, formerly of this city.

Will Compel Government to Return Vast Sums.

Judge LaCombe in the United States Circuit Court signed an order directing Ferdinand Eidman, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Third District of New York, to pay \$67,219.28, with costs, making a total of \$78,111.27, to executors under the will of Cornelius Vanderbilt. The order was granted in accordance with a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States as the culmination of long and expensive litigation.

Collector Eidman assessed the Vanderbilt estate during the war with Spain under the War Revenue act signed by the President on June 13, 1898. The executors protested.

The assessment was confirmed by the United States Circuit Court and the executors paid over to Mr. Eidman the amount demanded. The decision of the court below was taken to the United States Supreme Court, where the decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals was reversed.

The decision will cost the government many millions in the way of refund to executors of other estates that were heavily taxed during the war.

Suit Against a Railroad—Negro Lawyer Decides to Test the Jim Crow Law in the Courts.

Suit has been filed at Lexington by J. Alexander Chiles, a negro lawyer, for \$10,000 damages against the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company charging that while on his way to Washington from Lexington he was not allowed to ride in the first-class coach as far as Ashland, although he had bought a first-class ticket.

400 Indictments.

Indictments to the number of about 400 were returned by the Franklin county grand jury against the Standard Oil Company. The charge is failure to take out peddlers' license, under the act of 1902. The indictment is similar to that returned lately in a number of Kentucky counties.

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Nervous Pine Syrup.

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Will Not Reduce Acreage of Tobacco.

The Kentucky Burley Tobacco Growers' Association has decided to unite with the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association of Tennessee in a movement to reduce the acreage of tobacco in the tobacco belt, with a view to maintaining high prices and forcing the combine to hustle for its supply.

The announcement has been received that the Tennessee association has induced a large majority of its members to reduce their acreage 30 per cent. and that, owing to the scarcity of help, the crops are likely to be cut still below this amount.

It was suggested that the crop be curtailed, thus giving the various big consumers of leaf tobacco no opportunity to force down the price of the weed.

This plan is not encouraged for the reason that the Burley Growers' Association last year demonstrated that it could not secure the millions of dollars needed to handle the entire crop if it could not sustain the price of tobacco at figures that would be beneficial to the grower.

With this faith in the strength of the organization the growers in the Kentucky Burley belt have planted big crops instead of restricting their acreage.

A Dinner.

Louisville has its way of doing things. Hence it is a dinner:

Unlike most other church dinners, that of the McFerran gathers the women of the church as well as the men. The suggestion was offered last night that the alumni of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary give a banquet each year during commencement week.

The program of toasts was as follows:

"An Epic of the Nursery," Rev. E. C. Dargan.

"Christian Fraternity," J. Van Norman.

"A Baptist and a Half," the Rev. Carter Helm Jones.

"The future of McFerran Church," the Rev. W. W. Hamilton.

The Rev. John R. Sampey acted as toastmaster, and an orchestra furnished music.

Bids Opened For Sailors' Tobacco.

Bids have been opened at the Navy Department for 150,000 lbs. of tobacco, the annual supply purchased by the Government for the sailors. Nine firms entered the competition submitting from two to four samples each. First the samples are subjected to a chemical test, then submitted to the Jackies for their report. Under the present contract forty cents per pound is being paid. Prices ranged from 30¢ to 41¢, but one firm bid 45 to 48 cents.

You Know

The value of "Hanna's Lustro Finish?" It makes old doors, furniture and woodwork look more beautiful than when they were new. And it lasts. See finished samples at Thos. Kennedy's.

Many men have achieved a reputation for philanthropy because they gave back the collar button to the man from whom they stole a shirt.

Home Sweet Home

Will be more homelike and attractive in a new dress of Green Seal Liquid Paint. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Some men never learn the difference between fame and notoriety, and some men are forever mistaking reputation for character.

World's Week of Prayer for the Lord's Day.

Sunday Reform Associations in all lands have appointed April 30th to May 7th, 1905, inclusive, as the World's Week of Prayer for the Lord's Day. Just before the summer flood of Sabbath breaking, we called every year to protest the imperilled Lord's Day by a week of prayer and prevention. Let us recall gratefully as one of the surviving gifts of the lost Paradise the Sabbath which was from the very beginning divinely "made for man," and which is therefore not to be considered as Hebrew but human and humane. Let us ponder the profound significance of the fact that in the God-given Ten Commandments, the Keystone, largest of all, is the Sabbath commandment, the breaking of which leads to the breaking of others and the keeping of which leads to the keeping of the others.

We should remember that Jesus taught us to observe the weekly Sabbath, and by an act that was in

be first of all a week of very much importunate prayer in public, around the family altar, and in the closet; but also let it be a week of petitioning national and state and local officers for better legislation and better enforcement of existing laws. Let us particularly appeal to Congress for a law against Sunday banking in the money order and registry divisions of the post office, but recently permitted. Let specific efforts be made in each town to abolish or diminish work in post offices, which London and Toronto prove unnecessary. Let timely literature be distributed in every town and city by a modern "seventy" going two and two from house to house. Where possible let Sunday trains be stopped, but in any case let Christians be persuaded to stop using them. So, also, with Sunday papers, in which every form of Sunday work is combined—that of professional men, the editors; of mechanics, the printers; of merchants, the newsdealers; of hucksters, the newsboys; also the work

Thinking to Death.

Thousands of people actually think themselves to death every year by allowing their minds to dwell on morbid subjects.

The idea that one has some incipient disease in one's system, the thought of financial ruin, that one is getting on in life without improving prospects—any of these or a thousand similar thoughts may carry a healthy man to a premature grave. A melancholy thought that fixes itself upon one's mind needs as much doctoring as physical disease. It needs to be eradicated from the mind or it will have just the same result as a neglected disease would have.

Every melancholy thought, every morbid action and every nagging worry should be resisted to the utmost, and the patient should be protected by cheerful thoughts, of which there is bountiful store in every one's possession.

Bright companions are cheaper than drugs and plasters. The morbid condition of mind produces a morbid condition of body, and if the disease does happen to be in the system it receives every encouragement to develop. We need more mental stimulus and less worry.

New York Legislature Removes Justice Hooker From Supreme Court Bench.

The removal of Justice Warren B. Hooker from the Supreme Court bench of the State of New York by concurrent resolution of the Senate and Assembly, was the conclusion drawn from evidence given before the Assembly Judiciary Committee.

Henry B. Coman, counsel for the committee of inquiry read his conclusions of fact, embracing six different postoffice appointments. In each of these cases Mr. Coman declared that the conduct of Justice Hooker was immoral and tended to submit the administration of justice by Judge Hooker on the bench to contempt and disgrace.

A Gallon of Green Seal Paint

Is a gallon of heavy bodied paint and when thinned up according to directions on every package, is the most economical paint made. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Police Had to Rescue Him From the Mob.

In Chicago, Henry Levinburg, a brush manufacturer, was hauled from a wagon and beaten by a mob after having delivered a load of goods to Montgomery, Ward & Co., whose teamsters and garment makers are on a strike. Levinburg was overtaken by a crowd of strike sympathizers. Their first move was to cut the traces and set his team adrift. His wagon was overturned and wrecked. He was rescued by the police.

Paint Mistakes

Are easily made. The way to avoid them is to ask for "Green Seal," the paint that's always pure. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Mississippians Kill Sheriff Who Resisted Liberating A Prisoner.

A mob of masked men entered the jail at Senatobia, Miss., to release a prisoner, and in an encounter with Poag shot that officer dead.

Why?

Why do most paints use Green Seal Liquid Paint? Probably because most owners insist upon it. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Classic music is the kind that most of us enjoy for the purpose of hearing the performers render something we like.

EDITORIALLY

Strictly Democratic; cannot be side-tracked, opposes all class and vicious legislation.

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TEMPERANCE NOTES FROM SOME COUNTIES.

Berea reports 44 signed the pledge.

Olive Hill reports an L. T. L. organized with 35 members.

Olive Hill reports 28 new members and 135 pledge signers. This gives the Union an enrollment of 50.

Narrow Gap, near Berea, had 39 to sign pledges. Some of these had been hard drinkers but were standing true the last report.

Ashtabula reports an L. T. L. organized with 35 members.

Harry W. Rutland, proprietor of the United Shear Co., Westboro, Mass., has announced that he will remove his business from that city because it voted license. He admitted that this was the only reason for his decision.

Sharpsburg has a new Union under the leadership of Mrs. Adrienne Ratliff, making one more link in our chain of organization.

"Good Bye Suckers."

The American Mercantile Association, Kansas City, Mo., alleged to be a "get rich quick" concern, has been closed and this notice posted on the door: "Good bye, suckers, good bye."

The company's head offices were at St. Joseph, Mo. Notices were sent out as follows:

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The subscribers had agreed to pay one dollar a week for eighty weeks on the promise that they were to receive one hundred dollars at the end of that period. Many working girls and laborers had been making payments for months. One woman had paid \$7.50 a week for sixty-six weeks and expected soon to realize \$720.

Paint Wisdom

Don't experiment with common paint. It costs as much as "Green Seal" before using—and a great deal more after. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Progress in Maine.

By a vote of 23 to 5 the Maine Senate passed the Sturgis bill, which provides that the Governor is authorized to appoint a commission with full authority to enforce the Prohibition law and to appoint deputies in the counties with the authority of deputy sheriffs so far as the Prohibitory law is concerned. Thousands of people all over the state have petitioned for the passage of the bill, which has met with bitter liquor opposition.

Prohibition for Hoosierdom.

Indiana Prohibitionists are talking of forcing a battle for state Prohibition by getting up a monster petition, asking the next legislature to pass a prohibitory bill.

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IS HE CRAZY?

We publish in this issue an article from the Cincinnati Enquirer of April 13th containing another interview from Senator Blackburn concerning his candidacy for re-election. A careful and impartial consideration of this interview, as well as another one of similar character published in the Louisville Herald on the same day, raises the very serious question in the mind of an unbiased voter as to whether or not the Senator is in the same possession of his faculties. Evidently the danger in which he has found his candidacy since his return to Kentucky has well nigh driven him mad and he has now an apparent case of political rabbies which causes him to froth at the mouth whenever he hears of any one daring to oppose him.

As to the authenticity of these interviews we have no doubt, although we realize that Mr. Blackburn after giving out an interview always reserves in his mind the right to deny it if it doesn't take well, and all during his public life he has ever sought to escape the baneful effects of his indiscreet and immoderate utterances by deliberately denying that he ever said them.

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methods he has forced himself into office and no one ever sought to call his bluffs until last winter when Governor Beckham in a public controversy actually closed his mouth and showed him up before the people in the most unenviable attitude. He has never yet been able to answer the serious charges proven on him in that discussion. He grievously mistakes the temper of the Kentucky people if he imagines that the methods of the bombastic and egotist can carry him to success in this contest. Such pet and moss-covered expressions of "war to the knife and knife to the hilt, burning all bridges behind him and drawing indictments against his enemies," with the numerous counts, all of which he used in most speeches he ever made, may have sounded all right in the blodder days of yore, when Senatorial excellence was supposed by him to be attained by pulling the strings of an opposition Senator, but in the present day of rational and common-sense politics these warwhoops and bloody threats so characteristic of the bombastic Senator have been relegated to Indians and prize fighters.

We command Judge Paynter for his dignified and manly letter to Senator Blackburn declining to meet him in joint debates. As the Judge very properly says, it is not a contest between men, but between the two great parties, and every Democrat should be interested in seeing a Democrat, and not a Republican, elected to the Senate. The Judge is not an adept or believer in stump denunciations and prefers to conduct his campaign upon a higher plane. He is thoroughly able to take care of himself on the stump, but his methods are entirely different from and more statesman-like than those of Mr. Blackburn. Kentucky needs such men in the U. S. Senate.

The qualifications for that exalted position do not consist in the power to indulge in vindictive abuse and unwarranted declarations, but in the possession of a sober, calm and able judgment, capable of knowing what is best for the people and conscientiously willing to do it, without resting satisfied with simply making a noisy and abusive speech.

The main and unavoidable issue with Mr. Blackburn is this: For thirty years or more you have been honored by the Democracy as a representative in the Federal Congress and you are now called upon to render an account of your stewardship. What have you done for your State, your country or your party all this time? From every quarter of Kentucky his successor has been elected that question will be put to him. He cannot meet it by seeking to heap calumny on the Republicans or by calling his opponent a coward, he cannot answer it by using "his knife to the hilt;" he cannot flee from it by "burning his bridges behind him," and he cannot avoid it by his wind-mill fight against "the machine." It is an issue against him that cannot be dodged by rhetoric or abuse; it is a living, burning issue to him which he must meet face to face and finally yield before overwhelming facts to the admission that his Congressional record is clear of marks to his credit and free of rewards to the generous people who so long trusted him.

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It has developed that Senator Blackburn has selected for the campaign managers in his race for re-election, Urey Woodson, Sam J. Shackleford and Gus C. Coulter with several lesser luminaries to aid them. And yet he rails at a "machine."

If one of those rare and almost extinct birds known as Woodcock should happen around his headquarters what would he say before flying away? But anent and anon, much may be said about this later.

STAND BY THE COURT.

That a Judge from the beach talk to his bar of threats of personal violence from violators of the law should continue to vigorous punishment of offenders is appealing to the extreme, but yet Judge

Young has so spoken to the Montgomery bar. This very moment, with such a deplorable state of affairs existing is the time for prompt and decided action. The peace officers duty should be performed now and the man or men who would thwart justice should be made to suffer the extreme punishment as prescribed by law for so gross an offense. Judge Young from the very nature of his office and from the oath he has taken is under pledge to uphold the laws and all good citizens will in this effort hold up his hands. So long as the sale of whisky is legalized in his district venders will be held to as strict an account as the law is strict. Gambling under the law is not permitted and gamblers must seek other quarters to ply their unlawful business for Judge Young stands pledged to enforce the laws against all "thou shalt nots."

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ANOTHER CAUSTIC TALK.

With Intimation That Blackburn Will Bolt If His Machine Don't Win Out.

Senatator J. C. S. Blackburn, Democratic candidate for re-election, gave out an interview at Louisville April 12, in which he spoke caustically of Governor J. W. Beckham and declared that he would win his race by a majority of 25 votes.

"The young Czar," said Senator Blackburn, referring to Governor Beckham, "has put out Judge Thomas H. Paynter, of the Court of Appeals, against me. They generously conceded me three votes—that's all. But I will win from them by an easy majority of 25. I have heard from all parts of Kentucky and know whereof. I speak, Judge Paynter's refusal to meet me in joint debate was proof of his cowardice.

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"The time has come for the death of machine rule in Kentucky. The machine must be smashed, and will be smashed. It is war to the knife."

Governor Beckham came to Louisville last night and left this morning for Frankfort with his wife and two-weeks-old son. Referring to this Senator Blackburn said: "The Emperor intends to keep his men in office until J. W. Jr., is old enough to become Governor."

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Give the Boy a Happy Easter.

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Source Approved.

When Circuit Court convened Monday morning Judge Allie Young took occasion to say to the bar that he had learned that his actions against certain persons who had attempted to tamper with Commonwealth witnesses were considered by some members of the bar as too severe.

Judge Young also said that certain lawless men had notified him that if he continued to enforce the law unrelentingly he would be subject to personal violence. Judge Young said he, like all other men, was mortal, that he was subject to errors and that he would be pleased to have an expression from the bar relative to his course. Quite a number of the bar, among whom were Col. J. S. Hurt, A. B. White, Judge Lewis Apperson, Judge H. Clay McKee, Judge B. F. Day, R. H. Winn, Robert Marshall, knew from their own personal experience that all men could not be pleased, that he was making a good Judge, that they commended his action, assuring him of their utmost confidence and offered their assistance in the continuation of vigorous prosecution of violators of the law. The speakers were frequently applauded and we are sure every member of the bar and all good citizens will stand by Judge Young in his efforts to enforce the law.

At the close Judge Young assured the bar that he would not be deterred from duty, and to a member of the ADVOCATE staff Judge Young said the best man over on earth gave up his life for the betterment of the people and if needs be he would offer his life as a sacrifice for the protection of the officers to which the people had chosen him.

Have you HEARD of BARNES' ADDITION TO MT. STERLING? LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL AND PRICE WILL BE LOW ENOUGH TO MAKE YOU MONEY. AUCTION SALE APRIL 26, 2:00 P.M.

38-31

Snow Storm.

After some days of delightful weather, a heavy snow storm prevailed in this section on Sunday morning and ice 4 inch thick formed during the night.

Call for the E. & N., and Cluett shirts at Punch & Graves. They are the best for wear and fit.

Catarrh cannot be cured by the use of pills, liquid medicines and so-called system tonics. Under such treatment the germs of the disease will still live in the air passages and increase and multiply.

Hyomei is the only scientific and thorough way to cure catarrh. Killing the germs in the air passages, it enters the blood with the oxygen, destroys the microbes in the blood and effectively drives from the system all traces of catarrhal poison.

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April 19 May 2

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Japanese Kimono Crepes, the latest fad..... 20c per yard
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At less than Manufacturer's Prices.

We are badly overstocked in this department, and have

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Boys Suits, Short Pants, costing from \$1.00 to \$2.00
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Our Boys' Long Pant Suits, \$4.50 and \$7 at .
Our \$9.50 and \$12.50 Long Pant Boys Suits at .
Best \$1.50 Corduroy Pants at .
Our \$1.25 Corduroy Pants at .

38-12

This is a Great Sacrifice Sale. Come quick and secure bargains.

Louis & Gus Straus,

Leading Clothiers, Lexington, Ky.

SOLE AGENTS

For Alfred Benjamin & Co.'s Corset Clothing for Men. We are now displaying the Spring Styles. RICHARD SHROCK, the famous Blue Grass Cutter, has charge of our Merchant Tailoring Department. Give him a call.

38-12

Saloons Closed.

On last Sunday not a saloon, bar room or barber shop was open in St. Louis. The Excise Commissioner Mulvihill and the Board of Police Commissioners at the instigation of Governor Folk accomplished this.

Between 4 o'clock Sunday morning and 10 o'clock at night more than 8,000 persons walked across the Eads bridge from St. Louis to the East Side. The street cars and ferries carried twice as many more.

At Kansas City, the State Sunday closing law was strictly enforced as on the two previous Sundays. Only saloons were affected, however, and restaurants, cigar stores, news stands and barber shops observed their usual hours.

LARGE BUILDING LOTS IN BARNES HEIGHTS ADDITION, THEY ARE HIGH ON THE STREET AND WILL TERRACE NICELY. BUY ONE AT AUCTION ON APRIL 26TH, 1905, 2:00 P. M. IT WILL MAKE YOU MONEY.

38-3

Fruit Sale.

Hillemeyer, of Lexington, says the Central Kentucky fruit crop was not hurt by the cold. Tobacco plants are unjured.

For carpet and rug cleaning and wall papering see Wells Wilkerson, West Locust street. 38-4

It will pay you to buy your shoes at J. H. Brunner's. 38-5

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MISSES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES

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HARRY CROMWELL

Rich red sorrel, with bald face; 16 hands; weight 200 lbs.; abundant bone; lots of rock action, with the most perfect withers and the best of legs and feet.

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STALLION SHOW

The annual show of stallions occurred Monday and it was a big success in regard to numbers and fine lookers. The show took place on Main and Broadway and a large crowd attended. We think it a mistake to allow the show on streets. One prominent horse owner from a distance said he would rather have paid \$5 for a good piece to have his horse than where he had to show.

TROTTERS.

Harry B. Clay, Paris, Ky., Allerton by Allerton, Blue Birdie by Jay Bird.

J. R. Bascom & Son, Sharpsburg, Ky., Bow Dean, 2:30, by Bow Bells, Annie Tipton by Aberdeen.

W. E. Bean, Cecil Wilkes, 2:38 by Gambetta Wilkes, Eye See by Nutwood, Sir Knight 2:41 by Cecil Wilkes, Alice Todd by Knighthood.

Mr. Sterling Stock Yards, Bolitar 2:24 by Bermuda, Carrie Mack by Champ Ferguson.

P. L. Hensly, Aleyo 2:10 by Aleyone, Louise by Sunshine.

N. B. Young, Assassin by Onward, Ali by Electioneer. SADDLE AND HARNESS.

Letton Bros, Paris, Ky., Harry Cromwell by Harrison Chief, dam by Joe Downing, Red Indian by Red Cloud, dam by Harry Cromwell.

Thornton Woodford, Sterling Chief 2079 by Bourbon Chief, Beside Lucy by Forest Denmark.

Jno. T. Woodford, Forest Denmark 153, by Mambrino Forrest, Queen Denmark by Lathams Denmark.

J. H. Gillispie, Bourbon Chief by Harrison Chief dam by Lathams Denmark, Imported French Coach stallion, Hail Cloud.

J. E. Henry, Forest Denmark by Forest Denmark dam by Roscoe.

Jno. S. Wyatt, McDonald Chief by Rev McDonald, dam Lady Mc Clelland by Bourbon Chief.

Ray Moss, Victor by Electrician dam Daisy by Senator Blackburn.

W. H. Wyatt, Camargo, Blue Jeans, Jr., by Blue Jeans dam by Dillard Dudley.

W. E. Kenney, Carlisle, Rex McDonald, Jr., by Rex McDonald Chief by Harrison Chief.

Jas. T. Wade, Royal Chief by Bourbon Chief dam by Jno. Patchen.

G. W. Hainline, Highgate by King William 2124, a Thoroughbred.

C. L. Hill, Sharpsburg, Red Chief by Red Cloud dam by Ned Warfield. There were other horses exhibited but we failed to get cards, and can give no notice. Owners should always give this office their stallion cards.

CHOICE MEATS.

We are in the market for choice country-cured meats—Hams, Shoulders and Sides.

MARKEET PRICE WILL BE PAID.

TRIMBLE & HON

REMOVALS.

John Anderson, son of A. G. Anderson, of Jeffersonville, left here on April 3d and arrived at San Francisco, Cal., on Saturday, the 8th. On Monday, the 10th, he went to work. Four of his brothers are already there and all have good jobs. They will live with their sister, Mrs. Lewis Knox. Their address is 14 Woodward Ave.

A Taylor Johnson and family, formerly of Hazel Green, have left Ohio and located at Madison, Alton.

Your carpets and rugs need cleaning. I can make your old carpets look like new. Give me a call.

984 J. WELLS WILKERSON.

Goos Dry.

The City of Carlisle, after much labor and continuous prayer, votes the saloons out by a majority of 103.

WINTER EATING RUINS STOMACHS.

"Now is the Time You Need Mi-o-na," Says W. S. Lloyd.

Think for a moment of the extra strain you put upon the stomach in the Winter. The hearty food, the late suppers, and the lack of exercise and outdoor life all weaken and strain the stomach, laying the foundation for poor health and suffering.

Chronic stomach troubles, nervous irritability, and serious bowel and kidney diseases have often dated from a week of extra "good living." Nearly everyone is bothered with more or less headaches and backaches, furred tongue, poor appetite, dry, hacking cough, heartburn, spots before the eyes, dizziness or vertigo, sleeplessness, lack of energy, loss of flesh or a general tired feeling.

Now is the time when Mi-o-na is needed to repair the ravages and wastes the hearty eating of Winter has caused in the stomach and digestive system. This is the only known agent that strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, so they can and will readily digest whatever food is eaten. A Mi-o-na tablet taken before each meal will remove all irritation, inflammation and congestion in the digestive organs, and so strengthen them that they will extract from the food all that goes to make good rich blood, firm muscle, and a sound, healthy body.

This remarkable remedy costs 50 cents, and if its use does not restore your full vigor, vitality, and health, W. S. Lloyd, one of the best known druggists in this section, will refund your money. Unbound faith like this deserves your confidence.

[Apt 1 May 3.]

Open Session of Y. W. C. U.

The open session of the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union held Sunday evening in the Baptist church was one of the best yet held. The attendance was very good, and an excellent program was furnished. A choir composed of the members of the Y. W. C. U. furnished the music.

The meeting was opened by a song followed by a prayer by Mr. Bruce Trimble. The presiding officer, Miss Elizabeth Wyatt, then read a paper entitled, "What is High License?" This was followed by a selection by Miss Fisher Greene. Then came selections by Misses Reis, Drake, Sharp, and Rogers under the general head, "License an Outrage." Mrs. Grubbs, President of the Y. W. C. U., read a paper on "What Shall We Do with the Saloon?" After reading the paper, Mrs. Grubbs made a short talk in which she expressed her satisfaction at the increasing interest shown in the temperance work and her hopes for a continuance of progress in the direction of prohibition.

Two of the best things of the evening were, a solo by Miss Emily Neelis, and a recitation, "Say No," by Miss Eliza Nunneley who in this very attractive way celebrated her tenth birthday.

The idea about which the various papers centered was that to accept license money is to receive polluted money, and that in doing this the State and county enter into partnership in the destruction of character—that license money is blood money.

Building Lots AT AUCTION.

On account of the failing health of myself and wife, I have decided to subdivide and sell my handsome suburban place on Maysville street at auction on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26.

At 2 p. m. There will be twelve lots and my house. The lots are the nicest ever offered in Mt. Sterling. They are high and dry and will terminate early. I will deem it a personal favor if you may attend the sale and bring your friends. Your presence will be of advantage to me.

Yours respectfully,

T. KELLY BARNEs.

D. S. HENRY, Sale Mgr.

38-3

Going to Blossom?

Match the new Easter suit—and the new hat—and the new tie—and all the other fresh spring-like, toggery, with a natty pair of our famous Hanan and Heywood Shoes.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Pines Imposed, Commitments to Jail.

At the January term of Montgomery Circuit Court Austin May (son of Perg May) and Allen Prewitt (son of Arch Prewitt) young men of Judy neighborhood, engaged in selling whisky to Allen Davis, a saloon-keeper, was indicted for selling whisky to Austin May, a minor. The case came to trial last week. During the progress of the trial it was charged that P. H. Davis, saloon-keeper and Troy Green, of Judy (son of Jas Green), had tried to induce Perg May to sign an order, antedating

the indictment, authorizing the sale of whisky to Perg May's son, Austin. These facts were made known to the Court. Davis and Green were held in contempt of Court for such proceedings. On Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock Davis was committed to jail for 24 hours. Green received same sentence but later the sentence was extended awaiting the discretion of the Court. Davis was released on Monday afternoon.

Full proceedings of the Circuit Court will be given next week.

Our boys, bless the boys. They are our coming men and shall have the best shoes for the least money at Punch & Graves.

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Variable Tours
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Winter Tourist Tickets going via Asheville, through the Land of the Sky and Beautiful Sapphire Country and returning via Atlanta and Chattanooga—or vice versa—are now on sale at Low Rates.

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Through Pullman sleepers to Jacksonville from Cincinnati every evening via Knoxville, Asheville and Savannah.

From Louisville, connection with all of the above trains is made at Lexington by trains of Southern Railway.

For "And of the Sky" book, "Winter Homes" folder, Rates, Schedules or other information, address:

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To the West and Southwest. Tickets on sale first and third Tuesdays in January, February, March, April, May and June, 1905. Final return limit of twenty-one days. Liberal stop-overs.

CALIFORNIA VIA THE IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE. (The True Southern Route.)

Daily through Pullman Standard Sleeping Cars, St. Louis to Los Angeles, Cal., via the True Southern Route. Quick time and elegant service. New tourist sleeping car excursions via Iron Mountain Route and El Paso leave St. Louis every Tuesday and Saturday. Services and equipment strictly up-to-date.

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Rates to San Francisco, Los Angeles and intermediate points, \$30; to Portland and Seattle, \$30; to Spokane, \$27.50. Tickets on sale daily from March 1, 1905, up to and including May 1st. Also daily from September 15th up to and including October 31, 1905.

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Our Government.

Every country ultimately has the form of government that the people are best capable of sustaining.

Our country was the first to establish and maintain a truly representative form of government on a large scale. Our future depends upon the ability of the people to meet and settle the problems that continually are arising.

Our form of government leaves the way open for the organization of systems that are detrimental to the people as a whole.

Trade organizations are permitted that are intended for no other purpose than to benefit the members.

Both the trusts and the labor unions have shown that they would allow the masses to freeze and starve in order to accomplish their ends.

We are of the opinion that the time is not far distant when it will be necessary to amend the constitution in order to give to the officials elected by the people power to deal with the evils that have grown into our system during the past thirty years.—*Sun Sentinel*, Winchester.

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The man who feels like doing something foolish generally has his excuses all framed up in advance.

SMALL BOYS IN BACK SEATS

Old Phase of School Days That Illustrates the Larger Business of Life.

With the opening of the schools after the long summer vacation it always seems queer to see such small boys in the back seats, says Youth's Companion. Those who went in June appeared considerably larger than the class that now take their places. Not only are these highest grade boys and girls of Youth younger than their predecessors of June, but they seem less prepared for the studies before them.

It is much the same in life. Whenever new men come to the front to take places which have been long filled by their elders, it seems as if the world were falling into the hands of a younger generation. The lieutenants who become captains appear younger than ever to the colonels who look on.

In new countries, where promotion in civil life is most rapid, it often seems as if youngsters were wholly in control. They do get ahead faster in the places which do not attract the men that have passed middle life. Yet taking the world as a whole, the figures would doubtless show that each decade was using about the same proportion of the young, the middle-aged and the old. The new occupant of any position who attracts attention because of his youthfulness soon loses this distinction. People forget that he ever had it.

This college has been waiting 25 years for "us" was the inscription on the banner which the freshmen class of Harvard college carried in a procession at the time that institution was celebrating the completion of two and a half centuries of life. There was deep truth in this bit of wagginess. The world is waiting all the time for the small boys in the back seats, whether the seats be in the schoolroom, the court house, the pulpit, the counting-room, or on the farm.

The "Three R's."

The address of Whitelaw Reid, chancellor of the University of New York, on the question of substantial and frills—as they may be called—will attract serious attention from educators. He insists that the public is not getting the full worth of the money it is annually and cheerfully contributing to the maintenance of school systems prevailing in the several states. In his view there is not sufficient attention paid to the "three R's," which are hurried over, or sacrificed, to the "culture" studies now occupying the attention of the pupil to the exclusion of that which he ought to study. —Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Date Set for Contempt Cases of Preach and Others.

At Winchester Judge Benton has assigned the contempt cases against the Hargises, French, Feltner, etc., for trial on April 25, hoping that he may be able to sandwich them in between the trial of Judge Hargise and the next of the series in Judge Parker's court.

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You will never know until you have an abundant supply of water in your house. When you consider that we do the pumping all the year round, and that your water supply is always under pressure, there is

Nothing So Cheap

In all your living expenses as the water supply from our mains, You may have water for sprinkling the street and lawn, a faucet in the kitchen, another in your stable, and the charge is

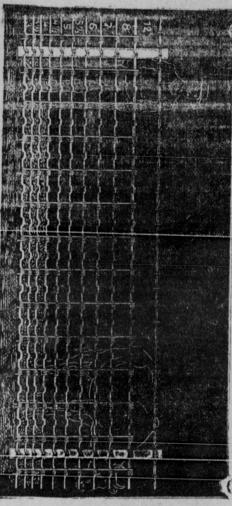
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FOR 30,000 GALLONS. With the bath-room connected the cost is \$16 and the allowance 40,000 gallons. The first cost of installing the water is about the same as building a new cistern. Come in and talk about it anyhow, or see your plumber.

Mt. Sterling Water, Light & Ice Company,
Office on Court Street.

AFTER THE HOLIDAYS COMES the stern realities of Life. Among the many pleasant things which we have to encounter is the FENCE BUILDING. We have the goods that makes this job a pleasure instead of a dread. Investigate the merits of the ROYAL SPRING STEEL FENCE. We have it in all sizes, shapes and kinds. Co. are in and let us figure with you.

Allen G. Prewitt.



THE FENCE QUESTION SOLVED

Making Old Orchards Pay.

The question often arises, especially in the country where fruit growing has been followed for several years, can and old or neglected orchard be made to pay? In this connection U. P. Hedrick of the Michigan agricultural college says that some old orchards can be improved and possibly be made profitable, but not many of the old ones can be made to give satisfactory results. It may repay to try to bring an old orchard into bearing for the farm or the home, but for the commercial orchard, or for the young man, or for the up-to-date fruit grower, new orchards must take the place of the old ones. The treatment that can be given to make the old orchards bear can be set forth in rules as follows:

In late winter, give the trees a thorough pruning. Do not cut and slash recklessly. Have an ideal in mind in the pruning and persistently try to attain it. Give a liberal application of fertilizers of some kind to furnish plenty of potash, a fair amount of phosphoric acid, and a comparatively small amount of nitrogen.

In early spring, before plowing begins, take a hoe with a short handle and scrape off all the rough bark, reaching up the larger limbs as far as possible. Follow the scraping, before the buds swell, with a thorough spraying with strong copper sulphate solution, one pound to fifteen gallons of water. Follow with the regular season's spraying.

With a steady team and a good, strong plow, break the sod four or five inches deep. It does not hurt if some roots are broken. As soon as the plowing is finished begin and keep up thorough culture until Aug. 1. In cultivating the last time sow a cover crop of oats or crimson clover, or use some other legume if the clover, does not succeed. In future years work along the lines indicated above. Good results cannot be expected until the second or third year.

Nervous School Children.

Statistics gathered by various School Boards, show that a large percentage of school children suffer from different forms of nervousness, mild or exaggerated. Some showed a tendency to melancholy, others mental depression, and many the nervous twitches of mind, chorea, or St. Vitus' dance. Most of these troubles can be overcome by proper food, sufficient sleep, and Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsi. It is a universal children's medicine, because, if good food is eaten, it insures that the food is properly digested and indigestion and nerve poisons properly thrown out. It is pleasant to take, and safe and sure in results. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50¢ and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

When a man has learned to get along with what he has he has learned the first lesson in getting along.

Miserable Conditions,

Of body and mind, always result from a torpid liver, which leads to bile poisons being absorbed into the blood, and poisoning all the nerves and tissues. This dreadful state, some of the symptoms of which are headache, bitter taste, nausea, lack of appetite, yellow complexion, constipation, etc., can be quickly cured by taking Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsi. It relieves the strain on your liver, relaxes the tightened bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the stomach, and makes it as clean as a whistle. The result is perfect health, and freedom from pain and discomfort.

Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50¢ and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The chief trouble about thinking twice before acting once is that some other fellow is liable to jump in and seize the opportunity about the time we begin on the second thought.

Separation of Church and State—Indications That the Measure Will Be Adopted.

At Paris, France, April 12, the Chamber of Deputies, by 422 to 45 voted adopted Article 1 of the bill providing for the separation of church and state, as follows:

"The republic assures the liberty of conscience and guarantees the free exercise of religion, the only restriction being those in the interest of public order."

All the amendments were rejected.

Eczema, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin of any sort, constantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At an drug store.

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Strawberries Year After Year.

Whether strawberries can be grown year after year on the same ground will depend upon the soil, its condition, available fertility, the amount and kind of work the grower is willing to expend on the berry field and whether the work is done when it should be. Strawberries of all crops will not stand neglect at any time and yield the largest returns, and therefore if the grower cannot, or will not, spend the necessary time and money properly to renew and care for the old berry field, he would better not undertake to grow berries continually on the same ground, but rather plow them up after the second crop. Strawberries can, however, be profitably grown on the same land for a number of years. I have a field, from which the fifth crop was picked last June.

This field has a deep clay soil. A crop of corn preceded the berries. About the middle of August Crimson clover was sown among the standing corn and harrowed in. The corn was removed in the fall. The clover continued to grow, and made a good growth in the spring. It was allowed to ripen seed, and was then plowed so that the furrow did not quite cover all the clover. Then the field was harrowed both ways. In a short time the clover came up thick all over the ground. It made a poor growth that summer, but in the fall and spring it made an immense growth. The crop was turned under about the middle of April, and the strawberries set out. The berries were given good cultivation, plenty of high-grade fertilizers were applied each year, and the field remained immediately after each fruiting season. It was intended to retain the field for another crop, but the extreme drought of last summer, which continued even into winter, has made it necessary to plow up this field. For several reasons I desire to retain this land to berries as soon as possible. This is my plan:

Next spring this field will be plowed, part set to tomatoes and the remainder planted to green beans, to be used in the farm canning factory. Crimson clover will be sown among the tomatoes the last of July, and then plowed under the next spring, after going to seed, and then plow under the second crop of clover the next spring and set to strawberries. On the other part the beans will be harvested in time to sow clover in August, and then it will be treated the same as the rest of the field. Thus there will be five crops of berries, one crop of tomatoes or beans and two crops of crimson clover grown in seven years.

Hereafter I intend to grow but four crops of berries and then plow the field up after the fruiting season, which ends here the last week in June, and cultivate until the first part of August, when crimson clover will be sown. The cultivation will help to retain the moisture for the clover, and will also kill many weed seeds in the soil. The clover will be plowed under as early in the spring as possible after it has made a good growth. Beans will now be planted, and they will be harvested in time to sow clover again in August or September. This clover will be plowed under in the spring, and strawberries set out. This would be a five year rotation, and will allow the growing of seven crops in the five years; four berry crops, one of beans and two of clover.

I believe this is better than the seven-year rotation. The rotation is shortened, there will be more certainty of securing a good stand of clover, and by growing the beans between the crops of clover there will be a larger yield of beans, and the first crop of clover will have time to decompose and become thoroughly mixed with the soil, thus making the nitrogen it contains more available. A high-grade fertilizer containing a high per cent. of phosphoric acid and potash, with little nitrogen, is used each year. What nitrogen is used will be in the form of nitrate of soda—Elmer G. Tufts, in Rural New Yorker.

Heart Weakness.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure has made many hearts well after they have been pronounced hopeless. It has completely cured thousands, and will almost invariably cure or benefit every case of heart disease.

Short breath, pain around heart, palpitation, fluttering, dizziness, fainting and smothering should not be neglected. Take Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and see how quick you will be relieved.

It cannot make a new heart, but will restore a sick one by strengthening the heart nerves and muscles, relieving the unnatural strain, and restoring its vitality.

For very bad case of heart trouble, for six months I could not work, I was plowing corn and feeling all day, but at noon in plowing one row I had to lay down and stop. My heart throbbed as though it would burst, and I could hardly get my breath. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, before I had used half of it, I could lay down and sleep right through the night. I have taken several bottles since, and feel like a new man, still years old.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, who will guarantee that the druggist will sell it, will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Bis Platform.

Sam W. Menefee, editor of the Danville Advocate, is a candidate for Mayor. He favors equal water rates to all; opposes "any pool room, bucket-shop, saloon, gambling house, or commission house dealing in futures;" opposes building low-class buildings in the center of town; favors five years exemption for manufacturing plants; liberal aid to a free city library, enforcement of laws against vagrants, cutting the Mayor's salary in half and halving his tax; and the city the other.

Great Activity.

Is shown without any disagreeable after-effects, by Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsi, in going to the seat of your trouble, when you are a victim of constipation, biliousness, headache, indigestion, dizziness, etc. It gently but firmly drives out the poisons that are causing your illness, and braces up all your internal organs to do their proper work. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50¢ and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

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The consecrated Christian has a purse easily opened at the call of distressed humanity.

Beware of the man or woman who can see nothing but evil in others.

You cannot judge a man fairly unless you can place yourself in his position.

Try for Health

20 South Fourth St., Cincinnati, La., Oct. 7, 1902.

Eight months ago I was so ill that I was compelled to lie or sit down nearly all the time. My strength was so weak and spiritless that I could not stand on it and I vomited frequently. I could not urinate without great pain. I thought so much about my throat and lungs were raw and sore. The doctors pronounced it Bright's disease and others said it was consumption. It mattered little to me what they called it and I had no desire to live. A sister visited me from Louisville, Kentucky, if I had ever tried Wine of Cardui. I told her I had not and she said, "I have some and it saves my life." I believed many women could save much suffering if they but knew of its value.

Sister Dinkler

Don't you want freedom from pain? Take Wine of Cardui and make one supreme effort to be well. You do not need to be a weak, helpless sufferer. You can have a woman's health and do a woman's work in life. Why not secure a bottle of Wine of Cardui from your druggist today?

WINE OF CARDUI

Lexington & Eastern Ry.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

Effective May 22, 1904

East-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1 P.M. ExSa	No. 4 P.M. ExSa
Ly Lexington...	F 2 20	A. M.
...Maysville...	F 2 20	F 7 25
...Avondale...	F 2 20	F 8 12
...Wyandotte...	F 2 20	F 8 27
...Vinton...	F 2 20	F 8 34
...L. & E. Junction...	F 2 20	F 9 22
...Cincinnati...	F 2 20	F 9 28
...Harrison...	F 4 20	F 9 35
...Fayette...	F 4 20	F 9 42
...D. & L. ...	F 4 20	F 9 47
...Montgomery...	F 4 20	F 9 52
...J. Cincinnati...	F 4 20	F 9 58
...Finca...	F 4 20	F 10 03
...Cincinnati Junction...	F 4 20	F 10 29
...St. Helens...	F 5 20	F 10 51
...Allendale...	F 5 20	F 11 06
...Oakdale...	F 5 20	F 11 21
...O. & K. Junction...	F 6 20	F 11 36
Ar Jackson...	F 6 20	F 11 39

West-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1 P.M. ExSa	No. 3 P.M. ExSa
Ly Jackson...	A. M. L.	A. M.
O. & K. Junction...	F 6 20	F 2 20
...Oakdale...	F 6 20	F 2 49
...Allendale...	F 6 20	F 2 56
...Tallings...	F 6 20	F 3 16
...Beattyville Junction...	F 6 20	F 3 25
Ly Finca...	F 6 20	F 3 33
...Glencar...	F 6 20	F 3 55
...Cincinnati...	F 6 20	F 4 08
...Dundee...	F 6 20	F 4 25
...Finca...	F 6 20	F 4 39
...Stanwood...	F 6 20	F 5 05
...Indian Fields...	F 6 20	F 5 20
...Wynona...	F 6 20	F 5 35
...Montrose...	F 6 20	F 5 50
Ar Lexington...	F 10 20	F 6 05

Flag Stop.

J. R. HAGUE, General Manager CHAS. SCOTT, Gen. Pass. Agent

K. & S. A. Railroad.

22 leaves Mt. Sterling at	7:30 a.m.
23 arrives at Cincinnati	2:30 p.m.
24 leaves Cincinnati	3:30 p.m.
24 arrives at Mountaineer	8:30 a.m.
24 leaves Mountaineer	8:45 a.m.

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Wall Paper.

Graining A Specialty, Estimates cheerfully given on all work.

See NEW samples of Wall Paper, Molding and latest Ceiling Decorations. PRICES REASONABLE.

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Hack-Line.

A hack every day from West Liberty to Cannel City will meet all trains. Good teams and safe driver. Reasonable charges. Call on my driver Jno. M'Mann

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Sutton & Harris, Funeral Directors.

Calls promptly answered day or night.

RAY PHONE

NO. 181.
NIGHT PHONES

NOS. 23 AND 146

April Court.

About 1500 cattle on the market. Quality was good as usual for this season of the year. A few sales made at \$4.60 to \$4.75 but the bulk of sales of 700-lb to 800-lb steers was 44¢. Yearlings at 25¢ to \$4.50 with one bunch of 500 lb calves at \$4.75. Heifers at 3¢ to 3½¢. Cows at 2 to 3¢. A few light hogs in the market weighing 75 to 100 pounds at 44¢. A good sized crowd at the pens and trade was very good, a great many cattle changing hands during the day. We caught a few sales but they will show what the market was.

Clay & Lane bought 32 900 lb. steers of Arnett & Allen at 4¢c.

Thos. Logsdon sold 39 500 lb. yearlings to W. T. Fitzpatrick at \$4.75.

Jno. Rose sold 18 650 lb. yearlings to Jas. Kennedy at \$4.50.

A. S. Hart sold T. J. Thomas 26 about 700-lb. cattle.

Henry Blankenship sold 16 about 700-lb. cattle to Mr. Ratliff, of Bath county, at \$3.2.

R. C. Oldson bought 10 calves of Vanhoosier & Keeton at \$18.

Vanhoosier & Keeton sold Mr. Henry 15 about 575 lb. heifers at \$19 per head.

Dan Welch sold 4 600-lb. steers to W. W. Wilson at 3¢c.

Welch & McDonald sold 18 600 lb. steers to Joe Tu et al at \$4.60.

Crawford Bros. sold 6 500 lb. heifers to Ollie Richart, of Bath county, at 3¢c.

Joe H. Downing, of Fayette Co., bought about 15 70-lb. heifers at 3½ to 3¾¢.

O. H. Downing sold 6 730 lb. steers to Jas. Kennedy at 4¢c.

Arnett & Allen sold yoke of steers weighing 2280 lbs at 4¢c to Thos. Buckner, of Bourbon Co.

Welch & McDonald sold 5 500-lb. yearlings to M. B. Bostain at \$4.25.

Jas. Arnett bought 20 about 600-lb. heifers of O. H. Downing at \$20 per head.

Mules were brisk and prices firm. No large heavy mules on the market. Some light weight 16-hand mules at \$175. Fifteen and one-half hand mules at \$150 to \$160. 15-hand mules at 140 to \$150. Small mules at 80 to \$110.

HORSES.

Horses were in demand and a good many buyers did not find what they wanted. Saddle horses are wanted at good prices but good ones are hard to find. Mr. Steel's Stock Yards sold 4 yearlings at from \$125 to \$200 the last named price for a nice driver, plug horse at \$50 to \$80. Medium horses at \$100 to \$125. Good horses at \$150.

Have your carpets and rugs cleaned.

384 WELLS WILKERSON.

Roberts, Young & Duff

Lead in Groceries which suit the people. Our people want the best and will have nothing else. They are pleased here in quality and price, service acceptable; agreeable salesmen and quick delivery. Their line embraces everything in

CANNED FRUITS, VEG-
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THE BEST BREAD and
CAKES, and CURED
MEATS, OUR COFFEE
CANNOT BE SURPASS-
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GARDEN SEED HERE.

Full line of
VEGETABLES
for
SATURDAY

CORRESPONDENCE.

PLUM LICK.

John Legget is doing a good business with his mill.

James Douglas bought two fine draft mares for \$225.

James Kendall sold a load of corn to George Douglas at \$2.25 in the crib.

Lige Taulbee and wife returned from Cincinnati Saturday, where they had been to purchase goods for their store.

Nate Rothwell says the recent flood buried his tobacco beds so deep that he will have to dig out the canvas. He will sow over again.

Clarence McClain bought a fine 3 year old combined mare for \$1.25

The woman who can make good butter, darn socks to a frazzle, cook a meal that tickles her husband clear to the waistband, and keeps the children's neck and ears clean, seldom figures in a divorce case.

STOOPS.

Farm bands are very scarce.

Wheat looks exceedingly fine.

The cool weather has been a great set-back to tobacco plants.

Bridges Bros. sold their fine stallion, Royal Denmark, to parties from Powell county at a fancy price.

John Stull, who has been very sick, is improving.

Buyers cleaned up the cattle hogs in this vicinity last week, at an average of 5¢ per pound.

James Hardman, of Clark county, was here last week.

Born, April 10, to Lawrence Fassett and wife, a daughter.

James Goopmaster is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Lieutrell Fassett, of Kansas City, has been visiting relatives here.

A small child of M. C. Foley's, while playing in front of a grate Saturday evening, caught its clothing on fire. While trying to extinguish the flames Mrs. Foley burned her hands severely. The child was unharmed.

Mrs. Thomas McClain and Mrs. Eliza Groves are visiting relatives at Salt Lick.

Miss Mary Gillaspie, of Wade's Mill, has been visiting relatives here.

Ely and Will Roberson visited relatives near Mt. Sterling Sunday.

STOP PAYING RENT BUY A LOT IN BARNES NIGHTS AT AUCTION ON APRIL 26TH AT 2:00 P.M. AND BUILD A HOME OF YOUR OWN.

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Mr. P. H. Tune, of Carlisle, has succeeded Lindsey Vanarsdell at Walsh Bros. clothing store. Mr. Tune began life in the printing business and for the past three years has been with C. C. Cole, the Clothier, of Carlisle, and is eminently fitted for the position he has accepted.

For Rent.

The Buford cottage, with six acres of land, two miles from Mt. Sterling on Winchester pike.

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Fine Horses.

Bourbon county was well represented at the Horse Show by Harry Cromwell and Red Indian, two beautiful red sorrel stallions owned by Letton Bros.

Harry Cromwell combines the blood of three of the greatest show horses that ever lived, Harrison Chief, Joe Downing and Indian Chief, and is as good an individual as his breeding implies.

Red Indian attracted the eyes of everybody that loves a good individual with plenty of sense and action. Quite a number of mares were booked to both horses.

40-3 E. W. STOCKTON, the Tailor.

A Wreck.

On Wednesday a trestle on the railroad between Yale and Scranton collapsed under a freight train.

Two cars went into the creek and the engine caught on the bank. No one was hurt.

Everyone knows Stetson hats, that they are the best, because they wear the best and hold their shape.

For a real good shoe—a Walk-over, call on Punch & Graves.

Drink Wainscott's Pop. 38-tf.

Brunner is the Shoe Man. 39-3t

The George T. Staggs Distilling Co., Frankfort, must pay Brightwell \$7,000 damages for injuries received while in their employ.

Sewing Machines Cheap.

For 30 days R. F. Greene will sell ten \$60 White Machines, latest in proved, at \$25 each. Phone 270, 38-4t

J. P. Sullivan has purchased a lot on Holt avenue, 100 feet front by 260 feet deep, of R. D. Ratliff for \$507. This is a very valuable lot.

When in need of wall paper, window shades, lace curtains, furniture polish, and floor wax have E. L. Brockway bring samples to your home. 37-tf.

Tom Patrick, of North Middle town, has come to the city Monday to get a load of coal and drove a good pair of mules. Mule dealers saw them and he priced them at \$365. They were taken promptly.

Latest styles in wall paper of all grades and all prices. Paper received in two days after ordering. No delay. Samples cheerfully furnished on request.

37-tf. E. L. Brockway.

Mr. D. S. Henry, of Nicholasville, who has the Barnes Heights for sale is very much encouraged at the prospects for a live sale of property and is satisfied that every lot will go at its full value. This speaks well for Mt. Sterling.

Carpets and Rugs Cleaned.

Small rugs 15¢; large rugs 25¢; carpet from \$1 up—make the better the carpet the better the work.

38-4 J. WELLS WILKERSON.

Industrial Edition.

We acknowledge receipt of an industrial edition of the Paintings Herald, a 32 page, 7 column paper, creditable paper for Paintings.

WANTED! WANTED!

YOUR SCRAP IRON, LIVE GEES, HENS, ROOSTERS, TURKEYS AND EGGS, HIDES, FURS, TALLOW, BEESWAX, FEATHERS AND GINSENG, FOR WHICH I WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE.

Oct. 19-6m E. T. REIS.

FIRE.

The Corinth Christian church was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of Sunday the 16th, caused by a defective fuse. No insurance loss about \$1,000. This organization has already begun the work of raising by subscription and giving uppers a fund sufficient to rebuild.

When you want your children's feet to be well dressed go to Punch & Graves for shoes.

For the latest styles in wall paper, decorations see Syracuse wall paper samples. Their agent, E. L. Brockway will be pleased to bring them to your house upon request.

E. L. Brockway 37-tf.

North Middletown.

On May 1 service on a rural route will be. From this town to Plum, thence to Plum Lick pike, thence to Mt. Sterling pike, thence to Oldstone, thence to Big Stoner, thence to town.

The carrier will be Jno. V. son of Kelley Moore, with Lawrence Mitchell as substitute.

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WHITE LEGHORNS.

VERNER FOGG has for sale eggs from the single comb White Leghorn—15 eggs to the setting for \$1, go for \$2.50 or 10¢ per \$1.

Peking Ducks—\$1.50 per setting of eggs or two settings for \$2.75. Also sells Cyphers incubators and brooders.

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

R. F. D. No. 5. 32-121. Phone No. 713.

EGGS for Sale.

I have Brady and Bright's strains of barred Plymouth rock chickens and will sell 15 eggs for \$1.50 or 10¢ per \$1.

75¢ or 45 eggs for \$2 delivered in Mt. Sterling.

MRS. JAMES CRAVEN,

R. F. D. No. 3. Mt. Sterling, Ky.

36-6

Lindsey Vanarsdell who has been with Walsh Bros. for the past five years, left for Zanesville, O., Tues

day to engage with Senhauser Clothing Co., of that city. Mr.

Vanarsdell is a competent man and gives up his present position for

only one reason, a better salary,

which the large Zanesville firm can

better afford. Mt. Sterling is giv-

ing up in Mr. Vanarsdell a moral,

honest, competent and aggressive

business man. Anv. firm, ant-

where, may feel justly proud in

having Mr. Vanarsdell with them

The shoe that conforms the foot

to it and neither gives pain nor

makes corns is the Stacy Adams & Co.'s. They can be had only at

Punch & Graves.

WE ESPECIALLY INVITE THE FARMERS TO COME DOWN, BUY LOW AND SELL HIGH FOR THEIR LIVES AND EDUCATE YOUR CHILDREN. WE HAVE GOOD SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES. BARNES NIGHTS ADDITION TO MT. STERLING WILL AFFORD YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY HAND-SOME LOTS CHEAP. AUCTION SALE APRIL 26TH AT 2:00 P.M.

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Garris Trial.

The jury was secured on Saturday

to come down, buy low and

sell high for their lives and educate

your children. WE HAVE GOOD

SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES. BARNES NIGHTS

ADDITION TO MT. STERLING WILL AFFORD

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26TH AT 2:00 P.M.

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We would like to have a shoe that did not please our women trade. It took time to get them that were up in style, wear and price but we have them sure. Punch & Graves.

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The Bridge of Peace.

MRS. LEROY.

"There ain't no use talking, Mary, I'm done with George Martin for the rest of my life, and with his wife too, because she sides with him. I don't want them or their children to darken my doors again, and me and mine won't enter theirs neither."

"Ahner, you ought to be ashamed of yourself," cried Mrs. Lawson. "You know George is all the time joking and playing his tricks, but he don't mean a bit of harm or malice, and he's as good-hearted as he can be. He thinks a lot of you to, and he and Bessie seem more like our children than brother and sister. We had Bessie from the time mother died, when she was only six, till she married George, and a sweeter better girl never lived. We just can't quarrel with them, Abner."

"We can and we will," replied her husband, his jaws setting like a steel-trap. "I'm not going to let George Martin, or any other prankish fool make me the laughing stock of the neighborhood just for his fun. I've borne with him a long time, but this last trick is the straw too much. I swear I will never cross the bridge again, so help me God."

"Oh, Abner, hush," entreated his wife. "You're a deacon in the church and George ain't even a member; and here you are, calling on God to help you keep such a wicked vow as that. You'll take it back when you've cooled off, so better do it right away, before the angel writes it down against you in the Lord's book."

"I've said it and I mean it," was the stubborn answer. "And look here, Mary, I forbid you and the children ever to cross that bridge or to enter George Martin's house. Do you hear me? Mind, I mean it."

Mrs. Lawson waited a few moments before replying, then said slowly; "Of course the children must obey you, Abner, but I'm different. The Bible tells even the children only to obey their parents

when it's in the Lord, and I know that means a heap stronger for wives, who are responsible grown folks themselves. This order of yours isn't in the Lord, it's in the devil, and I'm not bound to obey you if it goes against my conscience. I'll tell Bessie just how it is, and I won't go over there as long as things are all right with them, but if sickness or trouble comes and she needs me, I'm going to her over that bridge just as fast as my feet can carry me. Now you've said your say and I've said mine. You'd better drop on your knees and ask the good Lord to help you break your vow and for give you forever making it. You're a deacon and George ain't never professed religion. I've heard you pray for him many a time and talk about longing to see him converted, but do you reckon he'll be drawn to any religion that you profess if you act like you say you're going to? Don't forget 'bait Cain' saying, to the Lord's very face, 'Am I my brother's keeper?' George is your brother, Abner."

Abner did not reply, but stalked away with his resolve unshaken; and his wife's tears dropped fast on her work. There was a prayer in her heart too, and the Master who heard the vow was also the Father who heard the prayer from the sorrowing heart of His child.

The farms of Abner Lawson and George Martin were next each other, high up on the side of a mountain. A swift mountain stream formed the boundary line between them, and this was crossed by a bridge, which made the distance between the two houses less than a quarter of a mile. To reach the high-road by the public bridge it was necessary for the Lawsons to go three miles round, so the inconvenience to them was very great; while, the road being on their side of the stream, the private bridge was only used by the Martins as a short cut to the Lawsons' farm and the homes of a few friends. The Lawsons' children deeply resented being kept away from their relatives and forced to walk three miles

to school, instead of one, or to cross the often dangerous stream in a boat. They protested however in vain, and at the cost of several personal chastisements. Mrs. Lawson had a talk with her sister, and they agreed upon a code of signals. As long as all went well, a white cloth was to hang from the window of each house; but if either sister was in need of the other, a red cloth was to take its place, and in that event, they were to set Mr. Lawson's orders at defiance promptly.

Several months passed and still Mr. Lawson was obdurate and his wife and sister miserable. George had tried to make friends with his brother in law, and had offered every apology, and asserted his innocence of anything worse than the desire for a little fun. Mr. Lawson met his advances with such actual insults, that even good-natured George was roused to anger and declared to his weeping wife:

"Your brother Abner is too much for me, honey. He's been most like a father to you, I know, and sister Mary is the only mother you or I have ever known since we were little children; but I'm not going to try to make up with him again. I'd even swallow his insults for your sake and sisters, if it would do any good, but it's just taking the worst kind of medicine for nothing. If brother Abner's a Christian, I don't want to be one, that's all."

The edict had gone forth in August, and it was the middle of March when the crisis came. The wind had been blowing a gale all night and the stream was unusually high and swift. The black clouds were rushing over the sky and massing for a heavy rain, when Mrs. Lawson went up stairs, after breakfast, and looked towards her sister's house, as she did many times every day. There, waving furiously in the gusts of wind, was a large red cloth.

In a moment, she was beside her husband, who stood in the open doorway, watching the rising

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storm, and seizing his arm, cried quickly:

"I'll build one right away, doctor, certain sure."

Then he drew George aside, and holding out his hand, said frankly:

"Will you forgive me and let it be the bridge of peace, George?"

With a warm brotherly hand-clasp, George answered: "That will be with all my heart, Brother Abner. I know now you're a Christian, for it isn't easy for you to give in. I'll try never to rile you again, with my foolishness; and, please God, I'm going to be a Christian myself. I promised the Lord I would not fail to spare my poor little girl. I thought she was gone, brother Abner, but the good Lord brought Sister Mary to us just in time. She almost gave her life to help us, God bless her."

"Something is the matter at George's, Abner, and Bessie needs me. Will you take me there right away?"

"No, I won't," he answered doggedly; "and you mustn't go either."

"I will," she cried fiercely. Then she added with flashing eyes; "I swear I will, Abner. There now, I have taken an oath too, and you dare not hinder me from keeping it. Will you let the boys go with me?"

"No, I won't," he shouted, his anger rising. "Not one of them shall go across that bridge." Then as she threw a shawl over her head and started towards the door, he added in a tone of horror: "You're not going by yourself in the teeth of this storm, Mary? You will be blown off the bridge and drowned. Come back—come back, I say."

But she was flying down the path, blown along by the wind at such a rate he knew he could not overtake her before she reached the bridge. He did not look behind him, or he would have seen the three boys slip out of the back door and go racing across the yard,

and so racing across the yard, and for the bridge. He watched his wife with a gaze of fascinated horror, and saw her reach the bridge, sprang upon it, and when half way across, throw up her hands, as if in a struggle to keep her footing. Another second and wife, bridge, and all, went down into the foaming waters.

He was too far to save her, though he ran as fast as his trembling limbs would carry him, but he was near. He had been watching his wife so closely, that he had not seen George running towards her at the top of his speed; and as she sank, he sprang into the stream and tried to swim to her. It was hard work, for he was swimming in the very teeth of the gale, but as she rose to the surface, John, her eldest boy, who leaped without a moment's pause into the foaming current, caught her, and was able to hold her head above water till George reached her. It was easy for him to swim back to his own

side with the wind to help, and soon all three were on the opposite

bank, hurrying towards the Martin home.

Now, in spite of his behavior, Abner Lawson was a good man, and he loved his wife and Bessie and her children. He knew there was something very serious the matter, for his wife had not given him a single backward glance, and he saw John spring on a horse and ride furiously down the road. Calling to the youngest boy to go back and take care of the little ones, he hurried with the other down the stream to where a boat was fastened, and they managed to cross over and were soon at the house of the Martins.

There was trouble indeed. One of the little girls was in strong convulsions, and his wife in her wet clothes was working hard to save her life. George was helping her, for poor Bessie was almost useless from terror, and John had gone to hurry the doctor. He was away from his home, so it was an hour before they arrived. The little girl was then sleeping quietly, and when the doctor had heard all, he said:

"It's a mercy your sister got here, Mrs. Martin. She's saved the child's life. She's the best nurse in this neighborhood by long odds, and you're mighty lucky to have her living so near you. I see the bridge between you is washed away. Well, the quicker you build a new one the better. It was a special providence it didn't go before you got over to your sister, Mrs. Lawson."

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Healing Bill Vetoed in Minnesota.

Gov. Johnson vetoed a bill passed by the Legislature legalizing the practice of healing by chiro-practice. The Governor said that the art had not developed any permanent results, was practiced by unskilled persons, and ought not to be recognized by law.

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